

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit of the following provisional applications: United States Ser. No. 60/008,540 and 60/008,543, filed December 13, 1995, and Ser. No. 60/008,606, filed December 14, 1995."

and replace with:

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This application is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/980,115, filed November 26, 1997 which claims benefit of U.S. Provisional Applications Serial No. 60/008,540, filed December 13, 1995; U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/008,543, filed December 13, 1995; and U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/008,606, filed December 14, 1995. Each of the foregoing Applications are hereby incorporated, in their entirety, by reference.

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Please amend as follows:

Page 6, line 3, delete "FIG. 3" and insert --FIGS. 3A-3R--.

Page 6, line 31, delete "FIG. 14" and insert --FIGS. 14A-14B--.

At page 6, line 4, after "members of the nuclear receptor superfamily" insert -- SEQ ID NO: 1 rTR α ; SEQ ID NO: 2 hTR α ; SEQ ID NO: 3 hTR β ; SEQ ID NO: 4 hRAR α ; SEQ ID NO: 5 hRAR γ ; SEQ ID NO: 6 hRXR α ; SEQ ID NO: 7 hRXR β ; SEQ ID NO: 8 hPPAR α ; SEQ ID NO: 9 hPPAR β ; SEQ ID NO: 10 hPPAR γ ; SEQ ID NO: 11 hVDR; SEQ ID NO: 12 hER; SEQ ID NO: 13 hGR; SEQ ID NO: 14 hPR; SEQ ID NO: 15 hMR; and SEQ ID NO: 16 hAR--.

Page 7, line 4, delete "FIG. 17" and insert --FIGS. 17A-17B--.

Page 23, line 14, delete "FIG. 3" and insert --FIGS. 3A-3R--.